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NOW SEEKING A FRANCHISE

Suburban Electric Company Ask Supervisors for Use of Highways.

The Suburban Electric Company filed a petition Monday before the Board of Supervisors for a franchise to erect and maintain poles, wires and other necessary appliances for an electric system in the territory bounded on the north by the center of Fruitvale avenue extended; on the south by the county line of Santa Clara county; on the west by the shore line of the bay of San Francisco, and on the east by a line running parallel to said shore line of San Francisco bay a distance of 10 miles therefrom.

The franchise is to run 50 years, the petitioner promising to bid for the same if the petition is granted. It was referred to the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Franchise.

E. C. Prather, County Surveyor, notified the Board that the Atlantic Gulf and Pacific Company had completed the concrete and steel bridge on the Bell ranch road near Decoto The Board will inspect the work this week.

The Contra Costa Water Company asked permission to replace its force mains north from Alvarado with a 12-inch water pipe. This was referred to the Committee of the Whole in order that it might determine what steps were necessary to insure the replacing of the roadway in proper condition.

Mrs. Mary C. Allen, Secretary of the U. H. S. district No. 2, notified the Board that $4,500 would be necessary to run the school this year and asking them to levy a tax sufficient to raise this sum.

I. H. Whitfield, foreman of Mission road district reported 70½ days work during July at a cost of $448.53; material $14 95.

F. S. Francis of Centreville filed a petition for liquor license permit signed by F. P. Beck, S. Sandholdt, L. L. Francis, F. T. Hawes, Henry Crosby and A. Lernhart.

The following claims were rejected for the reasons assigned: Dr. J. S. A. Cabral, $102; same, $102 attending smallpox patients, not indigent cases, hence not a charge against the county. S. Sandholdt, $19, duplicate; J. M. Brewer, $40.50, duplicate; Waters Bros., $50, advertising done under resolution of Board and declared illegal by District Attorney.

Mayhew Name Honored.

The Vineyard Gazette of Edgartown, Martha's Vineyard, Mass., of July 25, and August 1, devotes several columns of space to an account of the dedication of a tablet by the Martha's Vineyard Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution at "The Place by the Wayside" marking the parting place of the Rev. Thomas Mayhew, Jr., from his Indian followers on the eve of his sailing for England, a voyage from which he never returned.

This parting took place in 1657, and was marked with a pile of stones by the Indians. The D. A. R. have secured the site and marked it with a great boulder and on this is placed the tablet which is to tell future generations of this faithful missionary's efforts in the dim past among the Indians.

H. A. Mayhew is a direct descendant of this man who was the first missionary to the Indians of the New England states.

The Prune Outlook.

The first shipment of the new crop of prunes chronicled last week is being followed this week with a daily shipment of a carload by the California Dried Fruit Co., of which E. K. Cassab is manager. They are filling an order for 100 carloads, and C. C. Carson of St. Louis is here inspecting and paying for the fruit as fast as it is filled.

Special agents of the California Cured Fruit Assoication estimate this year's crop of prunes at 55,000,000 pounds as against 170,000,000 pounds for last season. There is about 38,000,000 pounds of the old crop yet in the association. It handled 127,500,000 pounds of last year's crops and expects to handle 41,000,000 pounds of this season's.

The local crop last year ran to very small sizes and on the 2-cent basis prices realized hardly paid for gathering, let alone the drying and handling by the grower. This year the crop runs to larger sizes with a better price in sight. As far as known none of the local prunes are being delivered to the Association. Nearly the total crop has been sold green and prices have been about $22.50 per ton, while in Santa Clara as high as $35 has been paid. The difference is in the size of the fruit. Good judges say the local crop will not run much larger than 50 to 60 to the pound. Dried prunes are being held on a basis of 4 to 5 cents.

A Saloon Attached.

Crosby & Ryker of Haywards visited Alvarado last week—Wednesday—to seek a settlement from Frank P. Mattos for a $240 bill owing I. V. Ralph. He refused to make any terms and as a last resort the attorneys placed an attachment on the saloon conducted by Mattos. Then he changed his tune and securing help from Sam Simons, of Haywards, settled the bill.

The attachment was then released to Simons. Later he sold his interest to M. S. Bolcan of Irvington, who will conduct the saloon. John Gularte has been secured to take the barber shop connected with the business, and it is said Mattos will open another shop.

If you are seeking a first-class Business Education you should attend the PACIFIC COAST BUSINESS COLLEGE at San Jose.

Busines course, six mohths, $50.

Shorthand course, six months, $50.

Both courses with new typewriter at your home free $75.

No school on the Coast offers the inducements that this school does.

Write for Journal and particulars.

J. A. CHESTNUTWOOD, Prin.

H. E. COX, Proprietor.

MRS. JARLEY'S WAX WORKS

Successful and Enjoyable Library Benefit Held on Friday Evening.

The presentation of Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works at I. O. O. F. Hall last Friday evening by Miss M. McCobb, of Portland, Me, for the benefit of the Niles Free Library was one of the most successful as well as enjoyable affairs ever given here. The lady knows her business and carries her part out to the letter. She inspires such confidence in those working with her that all do themselves great credit.

The display of "figgers" consists of four chambers and participants in each were:

Chamber 1.—Queen Isabelle, Miss Edna Burns; George Washington, E. E. Southwick; Martha Washington, Mrs. E. E. Southwick; Columbus, Wm. H. Ford; Madame Roland, Miss Ida Curtis; Lord Byron, Dr. E. C. Stanford; Maid of Athens, Miss Evelyn Jarvis; Powhatan, Mrs. S. O. Higley; Pocahontas, Joseph Shinn; Captain John Smith, J. E. Jacobus; Diogenes, Jas. Clarke; Duke of Argyle, C. F. Horner; Princess Louise, Mrs. C. F. Horner.

Chamber 2.—Cornelia, Mrs. Mary Allen; Roman Matron, Miss Mae Hawley; Graechees, Clough Southwick and Austin Ellis.

Chamber 3.—Uncle Sam, G. E. Chittenden; Columbia, Mrs. J. E. Jacobus; Hawaii, Miss Grace Ellis; Samoa, Miss Hazel Jacobus; Cuba, Miss Bessie Hudson; Sailor, M. B. Sneden; Soldier, Robt. Tyson; Philipinos, Harrison Snyder, Andrew Borges and Warner Newby.

Chamber 4.—Indian, Jos. Shinn; Puritan Maiden, Mrs. G. A. Edgar; Ophela, Miss Mabel Langevin; Nydia, Miss Bertha Whipple; Cowboy, Jos. Champion; Foot-ball Player, Will Jeffries; Prima Donna, Mrs. W. W. Briggs; Sweet Alice, Miss Grace Dibble; Ben Bolt, M. B. Sneden; Rough Rider, Robt. Tyson.

Following the display ice cream and cake were served and young people enjoyed a couple of hours dancing. The net receipts of the evening were $35.00.

Trinity Church.

The Rev. Douglass O. Kelley of San Francisco, will officiate Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and administer the Sacrament of Baptism and the Holy Communion.

During the harvest season many of the attendants of Trinity church have been kept away from public worship. The first Sunday in September, it is expected, will find them again in their usual seats.

The triennial convention of the church in this country will be held during October in San Francisco. During the session it is hoped some Bishop of the church will be at Niles every Sunday. An effort will be made to make the services particularly attractive from now until Christmas.

Regulating Automobiles.

Supervisor Horner introduced an ordinance at Monday's meeting of the Supervisors to restrict the speed of automobiles and all vehicles propelled by steam, electricity or gasoline. He would not allow a greater speed than fifteen miles an hour and when within 500 feet of other vehicles or domestic animals the speed must be reduced to six miles.

He would have all such vehicles provided with brake, bell or horn, and a light at night, keep to the right hand side of the road except on mountain grades when they must take the outside of grade. On request or signal from persons with restive animals the driver must stop and await the passing of such animals.

Young Hoodlums' Work.

Some of the boys about town took a large crockery cask from Ellis Bro's store at an early hour Saturday morning, and with some boxes made quite a bonfire endangering several stores and residences.

The culprits are known and it may be will be called upon to pay for their sport after a hearing in the justice's court. The cask did not belong to Mr. Ellis and he will be compelled to make the loss good to the owners.

This spirit of hoodlumism shows the real spirit of boys and the best way to quiet it is to make examples of some so that they and others may learn to respect the rights of others.

COURT NOTES.

Louis H. Eggers has foreclosed a mortgage against Antone A. Amaral for $497.45.

Henry Stephens has filed a claim against the estate of Kate McIver for $8410.66, it being interest due on the unpaid balance of a $30,000 note dated March 3, 1898.

The suit against H. G. Ellsworth in Oakland was decided in his favor Tuesday by Judge Hall. Oliver Ellsworth and A. P. Leach were the defendant's attorneys. The plaintiff is barred from any of the proceeds of the business until his indebtedness to Mr. Ellsworth is paid.

Belvoir Guests.

Among the recent guests at Belvoir have been:

Oakland—Maj. John Jeffery and wife, Miss May B. Cruff, Samuel C. Bennett, B. J. McMullen, J. G. Doty.

Alameda—H. H. Case, Mr. Moyes.

Los Angeles—W. H. Sinclair.

Springfield, Ills.—Wm. Hughes Diller, Miss Addie M. H. Diller, Mrs. M. Mendenhall.

The Country Club.

The annual meeting of the Country Club will be held Tuesday with Mrs. G. H. Hudson. The members will take a basket lunch and gather early. After partaking of lunch the annual election of officers will occur and plans will be outlined for the year's work.

PIONEER EDUCATOR CALLED

W. F. B. Lynch Passed Away Monday at the Home of his Daughter.

The news of the death of W. F. B. Lynch at San Leandro Monday morning came as a shock to his hundreds of friends throughout the county and State. Death was due to complications resultant upon old age as he was 74 years, 1 month and 6 days. The funeral was held Wednesday from his late residence at 1 o'clock with interment in the Centreville cemetery beside his wife who died about ten years ago.

Born on a farm only eight miles from what afterwards became the battle field of Gettysburg he worked his way through the College of the Holy Cross in Maryland. Later he moved to Ohio, taught school and married Miss Rachel Jackson.

The family came to Carson City, Nev., in 1864, and while here he was ordained as a Presbyterian minister and preached in his home city, Washoe and Ophir. In 1867 he moved to Oakland, but a year later moved to Alvarado and later to Centreville where he preached for a number of years. He was County Superintendent of Schools from 1870 to 1878, and was president of the County Board of Education up to five years ago when he retired.

Four grown children survive Mr. Lynch. They are Mrs. Laura A., wife of H. F. Eber of San Leandro; Dr. W. F. Lynch, Elmhurst; O. J. Lynch, druggist, Sau Leandro and H. W. Lynch, principal Centreville Grammar School.

Railroad Changes.

The restaurant portion of the depot has been torn away and a portion of the material utalized to enlarge the freight house. Carpenters are busily engaged preparing to raise the depot and by to-night it is expected it will be moved back to the edge of the old San Jese branch track.

The new track for the use of San Jose trains is to be completed to-day and if all geos well the branch trains will come into the town in front of the depot to-night and all the time hereafter.

The railroad officials say the new depot will be ready for occupancy before the holiday season, although there may be a delay of a month in getting it under way.

Storman Bliss, who has purchased three lots on the east end of the Denison tract is preparing to build.

Miss Caerie Ellsworth who has been quite ill for several weeks in a San Francisco hospital, is slowly recovering.

Mrs. H. Curtner, Mrs. H. P. Valpey and Miss M. Constant of Warm Springs were callers in town Wednesday.

Miss May Cruff of East Oakland has accepted the position of bookkeeper for the California Dried Fruit Company at the E. A. Ellsworth Dryer.

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RAINFALL SUMMARY

William Barry, Horticultural Commissioner.

NILES, July 1 1901.

The following is a summary of the rainfall for this station for the season of 1900 1901; the rainfall for the present Season of 1901-02 to date, and the amount for the last storm to same date:

Last storm..... .00 inch
season 1901-02, to date 00.00
1900-1901 " 00.00
Total season of 1900-1901.... 24.86

The season's record is from July 1st to June 30th inclusive.

ATTENTION, ADVERTISERS.

When a newspaper offers its advertising space at a nominal rate it is a practical admission of "no circulation." THE NILES HERALD asks a fair price for its space and in justification thereof guarantees to its advertisers a paid circulation many times greater than any other paper circulating in Washington Township.

OUR POPULATION.

Alameda County, 1890, 93,864; 1900, 130,196.

Washington township, 1890, 5,596; 1900, 6,914.

THE COURTS SHOULD ACT.

A very injurious practice has grown up among the attorneys of the Alameda county bar of giving legal notices to the first man who asks for them regardless of where he comes from or what kind of a publication he represents and by their silence the judges of the Superior court have endorsed such methods.

The intent of the law in compelling certain matters to be advertised is to give notice to the people in the vicinity that actions affecting property around them is to be taken. If the intent of the law is to be carried out the advertising should be placed in mediums which have a general circulation in the community where the property rights are located.

As a sample, there is now a foreclosure sale of land in this township being advertised, but not half a dozen people of the township are or can be aware of it as the advertising is placed in an obscure weekly sheet of Oakland that has not a circulation of 200 copies and not one comes into the township. Yet the mortgagor and court wonders why there are no bids offered in such cases except by the mortgagee, who bids in the property.

This is an injustice and hardship to all concerned, and if the attorneys cannot see their way clear to better it the court should take a hand and compel such advertising to be placed in the township papers. A judge is elected to pass on law questions but he is also to see that justice is given in matters brought before him and it is far from justice that a place shall be allowed to go for the mortgage when by seeing that the advertising was properly done the court could secure for the owner several hundred dollars more.

The judges of this county will be recreant to their sworn duty if they do not get together and make a rule covering the matter, and see to it that no legal advertising is accepted that does not give publicity to the pending action in the community in which the property affected lies. Attorneys should have sufficient interest in their clients' welfare to attend to this matter, but as they have shown such a lack in the past it is time for the courts to protect clients from their attorneys.

BOTH WERE RIGHT.

A preacher once said: "Editors dare not tell the truth. If you did you could not live. Your newspaper would be a failure."

The editor replied: "You are right, the minister who will at all times tell the truth about the members, alive or dead, will not occupy the pulpit more than one Sunday and he will find it necessary to leave town in a hurry. The press and pulpit go hand in hand with whitewash brush and kind words, magnify little virtues into big ones. The press and pulpit are a saint-making partnership."

And the minister went away looking very thoughtful while the editor turned to his work, telling about the unsurpassable beauty of a bride, while as a matter of fact she was as ugly as a mud fence.—Alameda Encinal.

IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATION.

Never in the history of civilization has there been a greater premium on well trained minds than at the present time. Never were business enterprises conducted on a greater scale or required more skillful management. Mediocrity or indifferent service will no longer be tolerated.

Business men have no time nor inclination to instruct their employes in duties which proper education would qualify them to discharge. They seek and appreciate the help that comes to them thoroughly prepared to do the work required of them. Therefore, parents can do no greater service to their boy or girl than to give them a good business education.

Lord Kitchener's Proclamation.

Lord Kitchener, the British commander in chief in South Africa, has issued a high sounding proclamation threatening with perpetual banishment the Boers who do not surrender before Sept. 15, together with a fine upon any property belonging to them in the colonies to cover the cost of maintenance for their families who may be under British authority. The reasons for the proclamation are set forth in eight "whereas" clauses. Briefly they are that the burghers in arms are few in numbers, not well equipped, devoid of regular military organization and cannot carry on organized resistance, but can only make isolated attacks on small posts and detachments. The order is, according to Lord Kitchener, to put an end to "a state of things which is aimlessly prolonging bloodshed and destruction and inflicting ruin upon a great majority of the inhabitants, who are anxious to live in peace and earn a livelihood for themselves and families."

Lord Kitchener's proclamation in some respects reminds one of the verbal though not less pompous manifesto of a certain Major Pitcairn, who, speaking in the name of George III, thus addressed the embattled farmers at Lexington in 1776: "Disperse, you rebels. Lay down your arms and disperse." But they didn't disperse. And it remains to be seen whether stubborn Dutch farmers give much more heed to Kitchener's formal pronunciamento.

To a people fighting in the last ditch for the preservation of their liberties and fully realizing that they have nothing politically to hope for at the end of the struggle the threat of banishment is not likely to have a pacifying effect. Living in exile would be about as satisfactory to them as living under the dominion of the government which took from them their liberties. The proclamation is therefore practically insignificant so far as any effect it may have in ending hostilities. It is, as the London Daily Mail says, "an empty thunderbolt." It is significant only as a tacit confession of the British government that it cannot conquer the Boers so long as any of them remain in South Africa.

These Latin American Revolutions.

According to advices from Colon and Panama, the fighting is fast and furious in Colombia and portions of Venezuela, with a fair prospect that something in this line will soon be doing in Ecuador. At this distance it looks a good deal like a free fight not only among the three little republics, but among the people of each of them. It seems to be both international and internal.

Colombian insurgents, in revolt against their own government, have already made two incursions into Venezuelan territory, which have been followed by battles in which about 15,000 men have been engaged.

There are evidences that the Liberal governments in control in Venezuela and Ecuador have an understanding with the Colombian revolutionist Uribe-Uribe, whose purpose is understood to be the recreation of the Greater Colombia, to which all three once belonged, doubtless with the view of placing himself at the head of the consolidated government.

Acting President Maroquin of Colombia has a stubborn fight on with the Liberal revolutionists, President Castro's two years' term expires in October, and the four years' term of President Alfaro of Ecuador also ends this year. Each executive is face to face with a revolution, present or prospective, and each, it would seem, hopes to head it off by the enforcement of a bellicose policy toward his neighbors. Each apparently thinks that a foreign war would help things at home.

General Uribe-Uribe's scheme of a Greater Colombia seems to be the last card of the revolutionists rather than a serious and concerted project, though his movements may embroil all three of these little republics in most destructive warfare. That our government is alive to the serious possibilities of the situation is shown by the proposition to send, in addition to the Machias and the Wisconsin, the Iowa and the Ranger into South American waters. These war vessels may be found necessary to fulfill our treaty obligations to keep open the isthmus of Panama to traffic and our obligation to guarantee Colombia's "right of sovereignty and property" over that territory. That our interests will be conserved there is little room for doubt, however much the little republics may succeed in despoiling themselves.

The republic of France has, according to the census just completed, 38,641,333 inhabitants, an increase in five years of but 412,364. In the same period the United States added more than 6,000,000 to its population, Italy, if we include its large emigrant element, almost 3,000,000 and Germany something over that figure. The slow increase is the more curious when it is observed that the French in Canada and the Acadians in Louisiana are about the most prolific white people on the globe. It may not be assumed, however, as confidently as it once was, that this condition in the mother country is an indication of "decadence." Rather it is a consequence of the French property laws and of a love for the land of his fathers which prompts each Frenchman to hand down to his heir an estate that will not be dissipated by partition among too numerous a family. An exceptionally high per capita wealth and an exceptionally large number of small land owners are two of the obvious consequences of the practical application of the Malthusian doctrine in the republic.

That there are perils in newspaper advertising as well as advantages is forcibly illustrated by the case of a New York farmer who advertised for a wife. The advertisement appeared in print Saturday and Sunday, and on Monday morning a bargain day rush began with the advertiser's farmhouse as the bargain counter. They came with bag and baggage and filled the house and the yard and drove the advertiser and his two hired men out into the kitchen, where they stood at bay until the farmer mustered up enough courage to eject all the applicants and then stand guard over the front door with a gun and a bulldog. The moral of this little story is this: If you don't want to do business, don't advertise.

The latest Gould baby, born on board a yacht, superseded for some days the steel strike as the first page attraction of the New York sensational sheets. A Gould baby or a Vanderbilt bride is more important as a news feature in certain quarters than a great strike affecting mighty industries as well as the welfare of thousands upon thousands of workers.

New Yorkers have been made sick by looping the loop and flipping the flop at Coney Island. The most expensive sport there, however, is flimming the flam.

COME TO THE HERALD OFFICE for all kinds of Job Work.
We do
Pamphlets,
Posters, Receipts,
Programmes,
Circulars.
Also all kinds of Society and Commercial Printing.

CHICKENS AND EGGS.

Highest cash market prices paid. Call on or address
A. TAPIA, Niles.

California Nursery Co.

NILES, CAL

JOHN ROCK, Manager

FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL

ORANGES, OLIVES AND GRAPES

RESISTING VINES

Rupestris St. George
Riparia Gloire de Montpellier
Riparia a grandes feuilles
Solonis Robusta

The largest and finest collection of Palms Ornamental Trees, Roses, Shrubs and Vines on the Pacific Coast. Send for our catalogue

WOOD FOR SALE.

Good Almond Wood in Stove Length. Apply to E. Clarke, Niles.

Room in San Francisco—The Shasta, 246 Third street. 200 furnished rooms newly renovated from 25c to 75c a night, and from $1 to $3 per week. Reading room in connection.

ARTIST'S STUDIO.

Lessons in oil and water color painting crayon and china work, given by Mrs. Elda Cutler at her home on Osgood avenue, Irvington. Class day Tuesday of each week from 10 to 4 o'clock. Price, 25 cents per hour or $1 for full day's lesson.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY
[PACIFIC SYSTEM]

Trains Leave and Are Due to Arrive at
NILES STATION

ARRIVE A.M.	ARRIVE P.M.	From MAY 26 1901	DEPART A.M.	DEPART P.M.
9 10	4 55	NILES AND	6 20	2 47
10 00	5 15		*7 14	5 58
10 22	5 58	SAN FRANCISCO		6 08
	7 32		†7 47	
			10 28	
*7 07	2 42	NILES	9 12	5 20
†7 47	5 52	AND TRACY	10 10	6 05
6 20	*1 35		*7 30	2 47
*7 00	†2 30	NILES AND		6 02
	5 13	SAN JOSE	10 15	7 32
10 00				

* Sunday excepted. W. O. COLE,
† Sunday only. G. W. BRANCH,
S. O. HIGLEY, Agent Assistants.

LOCAL MAIL SERVICE.

ARRIVE	DEPART
9 11 A. M.	9 11 A. M.
10 00 A. M.	10 00 A. M.
2 42 P. M.	2 47 P. M.
5 15 P. M.	6 05 P M.

The mails close at the Postoffice 30 minutes before the departure of trains.
Sunday mails arrive and depart only at 10 00 and 2 47. WM. SNYDER, P.M.

NARROW GAUGE TRAINS.

Southbound	NEWARK	Northbound
9 37 a m.	Daily	4 25 p. m.
5 36 p. m.		
3 36 p. m.	Daily Except Sunday	7 30 a. m.
		9 37 a. m.
9 09 a m.	Sunday Only	9 37 a. m.
		6 44 p. m.

J. B. TERRILL, Agent.

Sneden's

Drug

Store

NILES, CAL.

Look at Our Prices!

Cleveland, $40 and up, Crescent, $25 and up,
Tribune, $40 and up, Pioneer, $20 and up,
Snell, $25 and up, Fay, $20 and up.

Renting, Repairing and Cycle Supplies.

Centreville = = Cyclery.

A. C. BANNISTER, Manager

NONE BETTER MACHINE
UP-TO-DATE, HIGH GRADE,
BALL BEARING, MARQUETRY WOOD WORK,
POPULAR PRICES, ETC., ETC.

For Sale by WALTER MEESE.

1009 Washington street, Oakland, Cal.

ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

That May Affect Some of You Gathered From Many Sources.

H. W. Bishop sells Fred Wueschers' harness dressing.

Ice and Coal sold in any quantity at J. A. Easterday's. *

J. A. Easterday has built a large ice cellar in the rear of his saloon.

J. C. Mowry was the only resident of this township drawn on the new trial jury panel and was excused from serving.

The Alameda County Teachers' Institute will be held Thanksgiving week this year, contrary reports notwithstanding.

All kinds of commissions executed and errands attend to in Oakland and San Francisco. Leave orders at THE HERALD office. *

If your house or buggy needs painting, call and see or drop a card to H. W. Bishop, painter, Niles. He also sells and hangs wallpaper.

FOR SALE:—One mare five years old, sound, gentle, well broken; low, broad build, weight 1200 pounds. Enquire at Cushing's, Irvington.

Dave Nutting the popular conductor of the "Peanut" freight for five or six years past has been promoted to a passenger conductor and H. R. Thompson given the run.

Sol Easterday and wife of Mayfield, spent part of the week with their son J. A. Easterday while making some improvements on their property. They returned yesterday.

The Ladies' Guild will resume meeting after the summer vacation next Wednesday. It being the annual meeting it will be held in the Congregational church with a basket lunch.

Fred Dassel returned home Tuesday evening from Oakland where he has been laid up for two weeks with a crushed foot, caused by a sledge-hammer flying off of its handle.

Mrs. G. E. Chittenden gave a luncheon recently complimentary to Mrs. A. C. Henry of Oakland, Mrs. S. P. Lowe and her daughter, Miss Gertrude Lowe of Chattanooga, Tenn., who are visiting on the Coast.

Mrs. M. A. Mortimer will return to Niles next week and occupy her residence after two years' absence About the middle of October Frank Mortimer and wife are expected home from Alaska to spend the winter with his mother.

The Citrograph, of Redlands is again upon our desk after an absence of three months. Many thanks, Scipio, for we recognize your paper as the best in California. Its editorials, advertisements, typographical appearance and makeup are joys to the editorial heart.

The Oakland Enquirer has been running a series of articles during the month on Industries of Alameda County. The one on fruit interests and nursery business gives more than half of the space to Niles and vicinity. The one on garden truck gives us credit for the hill vegetables reaching market early.

The annual report of the County Auditor required to be prepared by law is at hand. Its only value is for the descriptive matter regarding the county and its various towns. The financial part is over a year old and worthless, being a waste of public funds. The law should be amended so that the report would have to be out in less than six months.

Announcement.

We have purchased the stock and business of H. C. Ingram & Co., Irvington.

New goods and low prices will make it an object for you to visit us before going elsewhere.

Watch this space for specialized advertisements.

E. MCBURNEY & Co.
Irvington.

The PACIFIC COAST BUSINESS COLLEGE at San Jose points with pride to its fruit crop shown in the record of its students now in business. This popular school holds the key that unlocks the door to success in life.

Business course six months $50. Shorthand course six months $50. Both courses six months with new Typewriter at home $75.

Write for Journal and full particulars.

J. A. CHESTNUTWOOD, Prin.
H. E. COX, Proprietor.

STOPS PAIN

Athens, Tenn., Jan. 27, 1901.
Ever since the first appearance of my menses they were very irregular and I suffered with great pain in my hips, back, stomach and legs, with terrible bearing down pains in the abdomen. During the past month I have been taking Wine of Cardui and Thedford's Black-Draught, and I passed the monthly period without pain for the first time in years. NANNIE DAVIS.

What is life worth to a woman suffering like Nannie Davis suffered? Yet there are women in thousands of homes to-day who are bearing those terrible menstrual pains in silence. If you are one of these we want to say that this same

WINE OF CARDUI

will bring you permanent relief. Console yourself with the knowledge that 1,000,000 women have been completely cured by Wine of Cardui. These women suffered from leucorrhoea, irregular menses, headache, backache, and bearing down pains. Wine of Cardui will stop all these aches and pains for you. Purchase a $1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui to-day and take it in the privacy of your home.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Susan Rose, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the Will of Susan Rose, deceased, and for the issuance to Kate Rose of letters testamentary theron has been filed in this Court, and that

FRIDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1901,

at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated August 19, 1901.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

CLARKE & CLARKE, Attorneys for Petitioner, 856 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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DEEDS.

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FROM NEIGHBORING TOWNS

Personal and Social Events of Various Villages Recorded.

ALVARADO.

Allen Richmond was home from the city Sunday.

A native daughter is the latest arrival at the home of Edward Laughlin.

The Alvarado Athletic Club will hold high jinks tomorrow evening at Granger's pavilion.

The new pipe line from the depot to the pumping plant has been completed and the workmen returned to Oakland Monday.

The Alvarado Whist Club was entertained again Monday evening by Miss Carrie Parrish. There were four tables and all had a pleasant time. The next meeting will be at E. C. Whipple's.

Those on the street Monday evening were surprised to see John Joyce staggering along pushing a wheelbarrow in which sat A. W. Lassen, smiling and serene. It developed that a wager was being paid.

"Jake" Baumgarten, the "king" of Oakland news boys walked into court last week, surrendered himself on a charge of battery and paid his fine of $8. It was the result of some trouble with a State police officer at the Niles depot Sunday previous.

The Amigos baseball team from the city defeated the Alvarado nine Sunday by a score of 11 to 4 There was considerable wrangling and the umpires did rather raw work several times. Once they reversed themselves. The visitors' battery work was almost perfect. The L. G. Sresovich Co. team will play next Sunday for a $50 purse and the Coast amateur championship.

Frank P. Rose, an old Portuguese resident of Alvarado, died Sunday and was buried Tuesday at the Centreville cemetery. He was 94 years old, a native of Azores Islands. His wife died several years ago. He leaves a family of grown up children consisting of Frank P., Jr., J. P., Manuel P. Rose, Mrs. Joseph V. Calveria and Mrs. A. G. Martin.

CENTREVILLE.

M. J. Souza is around again after an illness resembling smallpox.

C. A. Plummer is making improvements to his residence including a new roof.

Dr. H. W. Emerson has had his residence newly painted, which makes a decided change in the place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bunting, and daughter, Miss Evelyn, did not get away as early last week as they expected on their Eastern trip. They left Saturday.

Rev. T. G. Crump, who has been rector of the St. James Episcopal church here for nearly fourteen years, left Saturday for Minnesota, near his former home, for the winter.

Kuhlman Salz came home from Benicia Saturday and remained over Sunday. He was given a birthday party Saturday evening and the young people had a very enjoyable time.

Grand Chancellor Calkins, of Nevada City, a newspaper man and ex post master, paid an official visit to the Knights of Pythias Thursday night. There was a large attendance and an enjoyable evening spent. Several new members have been initiated during the term.

Rev. Mahlon D. Wilson of Christ Church, Alameda, will hold service at St. James church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The drill team of the Woodmen of the World went to Alvarado Tuesday evening and initiated four candidates. Their specialty is one part of the work which is pronounced the best in the State. They recently did the work for Oakland Camp No. 94, and were highly complimented.

The grammar school was closed Wednesday out of respect to the memory of Mr. Lynch's father. A short service was held in the Presbyterian church preceeding the interment at which a large number of citizens gathered to pay their respect to their old friend's memory.

Rev. T. M. Gunn, D. D., and wife returned to Mission, Wash., yesterday on the steamer Pueblo via Seattle. They were accompanied by Mrs. B. S. Winchester and children. The whole party have been guests of Rev. W. C. Gunn for a couple of months and the house will be quite lonesome with them all gone.

IRVINGTON.

Dr. J. H. Durham visited friends in San Francisco over Sunday.

An electric bell warns all passers by of approaching trains at the depot crossing.

Miss Millie Cutler of San Francisco, and Miss Georgia Smith of San Jose were guests of Miss Georgia Cutler Sunday.

Mrs. Elda Cutter and Miss Georgia will leave Wednesday for Palo Alto, for the winter, Miss Cutter having entered Stanford University.

Grain is only being shipped to the breweries owing to the strike. A scarcity of cars delays even this movement and the shipment of hay and straw.

Miss Edith Jackson, assisted by San Francisco musical talent gave a very enjoyable and successful elocutionary recital and concert in Haywards Friday evening.

J. Durham received a telephone message Tuesday calling him to College City, Colusa county, to conduct the funeral of an old time friend. He returned yesterday.

ANDERSON ACADEMY.

An effort is being made to get up a foot-ball game for next week with the U. H. S. No. 2 boys.

A dancing class, to meet Friday evenings is a new feature. An Oakland teacher is to be employed.

Prof. Tenbrook, the new drill master, is giving the young men an hour's hard work daily in military tactics, much to their disgust.

The Recruit is to be the name of the Acadamy paper. It will be published semi-annually just before the Christmas and summer holidays. W. G. Sharwood will be editor-in-chief, Leland Foulke and Leland Cutler associates, Carl Wolf, manager.

NEWARK.

John Berger of Oakland occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. He is a theological student at the Occidental College, Los Angeles and is to supply here during the balance of his vacation.

The Newark brass band is working hard these days and expect soon to be able to order uniforms. A ball will be given at Watkin's Hall Friday evening, Sept. 20, to assist in raising funds for this purpose.

D. F. Moody is moving his barn and making other improvement on his place.

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BRIEF PERSONAL MENTION

Travelers To and From Niles in the Course of a Week.

Frank Rogers ran up to Vallejo and spent Sunday with friends.

Miss Clemantina Forbes went to Vallejo Saturday to visit friends.

S. E. Stephenson of Maderia has been visiting his son A. L. Stephenson this week

Mrs. M. A. Collior of San Mateo is spending several weeks here as the guest of Mrs H. A. Mayhew.

Prof. E. C. Sanford of Clarke University and Miss Isabelle Clarke have been visiting at the Shinn home.

Misses Isabelle and Carmen Percey and their little brother were guests at the Hudson home several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stephenson, who have occupied the Mortimer cottage several months return to Oakland to-morrow.

Mrs. T. G. Crump is to be the guest of Mrs. M. A. Mortimer for several weeks before she goes East to join her husband.

Mrs. L. Hyman, Milton and Rosa visited her mother's in San Francisco Sunday. Milton remained and has secured a position in a furniture factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar and Miss Josephine Edgar of Paso Robles, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Edgar, but expect to return to San Jose this afternoon. Mr. Edgar leaves next week for Cleveland, O., to attend the G. A. R. Encampment.

Horse Sense.

"Any fool can take a horse to water, but it takes a wise man to make him drink," says the proverb. The horse eats when hungry and drinks when thirsty. A man eats and drinks by the clock, without regard to the needs of nature. Because of careless eating and drinking "stomach trouble" is one of commonest of diseases. Sour and bitter risings, belchings, unnatural fulness after eating, dizziness, headache, and many other symptoms mark the beginning and progress of disease of the stomach.

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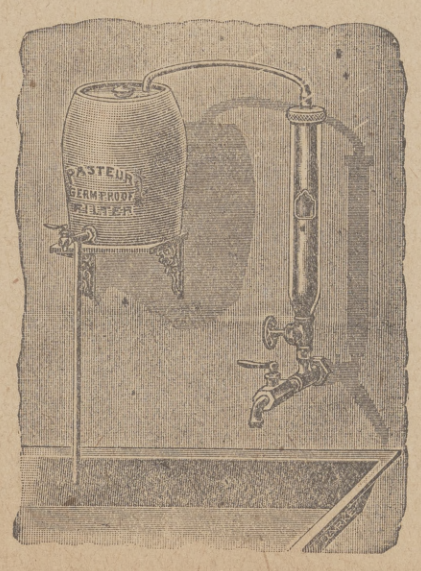

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